

17266. Adulteration of rice. U. S. v. 17 Bags * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29573. Sample No. 75104-K.)

LABEL FILED: September 8, 1950, Southern District of Mississippi.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 5, 1950, from Crowley, La.

PRODUCT: 17 100-pound bags of rice at Meridian, Miss.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects. The article was adulterated while held for sale after shipment in interstate commerce.

DISPOSITION: March 20, 1951. Default decree of condemnation. The court ordered that the product be offered to a public institution, for use as animal feed, conditioned that it be denatured so that it could not be diverted for human food; otherwise the product was to be destroyed.

DAIRY PRODUCTS

BUTTER

17267. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. Money Creek Cooperative Creamery Assn. and Donald G. Byboth. Pleas of guilty. Corporation fined \$1,000. Imposition of sentence against individual suspended; individual placed on probation for 3 years. (F. D. C. No. 29643. Sample Nos. 65418-K, 76093-K.)

INFORMATION FILED: November 29, 1950, against the Money Creek Cooperative Creamery Assn., a corporation, Money Creek, Minn., and Donald G. Byboth, manager.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 15 and 22, 1950, from the State of Minnesota into the State of Illinois.

LABEL, IN PART: "Creamery Butter Distributed By H. C. Christians Co. Chicago, Ill. Net Wt. 60 Lbs."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 402 (a) (3), the product consisted in part of a filthy substance by reason of the presence of insects, insect parts, insect fragments, mites, manure, and sediment; and, Section 402 (a) (4), the product had been prepared and packed under insanitary conditions whereby it may have become contaminated with filth.

DISPOSITION: April 9, 1951. Pleas of guilty having been entered, the court imposed a fine of \$1,000 against the corporation, suspended the imposition of sentence against the individual, and placed the individual on probation for 3 years.

17268. Adulteration of butter. U. S. v. 100 Boxes (6,300 pounds) * * *. (F. D. C. No. 29815. Sample Nos. 65417-K, 65539-K.)

LABEL FILED: September 19, 1950, Northern District of Illinois.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about August 14 and 21, 1950, by the Bennett Creamery Co., from Ottawa, Kans.

PRODUCT: 100 63-pound boxes of butter at Chicago, Ill. Examinations showed that the product contained insects, insect fragments, and mold.

LABEL, IN PART: "Creamery Butter Distributed By H. C. Christians Co. Chicago, Ill."